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Title: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING HETEROPOLYMERS

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. Application 76 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 20 independent claims and 299 claims total.
- 2. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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- 3. A check for \$ 7092.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:
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 - \$ 6382.00 additional claims fee.

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f). Applicants await notification from the Patent and Trademark Office of the time set for filing the executed Declaration.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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